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1. The Meszhart (Hungarian-Soviet Navigation, Inc.) shipping concern was to be dissolved as of 15 October 1954. It was to be replaced by Mahart (Magyar Hajozási Részvénytársaság, i.e. Hungarian Navigation, Inc.) which was to be under the sole management of the Hungarian Government.
2. The Hungarian Government agreed to pay the USSR the equivalent of \$92,000,000 for the release of Meszhart, Maszola (Hungarian-Soviet Oil, Inc.), and Maszovlet (Hungarian-Soviet Civilian Airline, Inc.).

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